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TITLE: Navigation system

DATE-ISSUED: November 7, 2000

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<u>5396431</u>	March 1995	Shimizu et al.	701/213
<u>5398188</u>	March 1995	Maruyama	701/208
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0579451	January 1994	EPX	
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ART-UNIT: 276

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ABSTRACT:

A navigation system provides road guidance by displaying information relating to roads on a structure shape map, together with landmark information, in such a manner that only information around the present position is highlighted. The system retrieves road information in the direction of travel from the present position according to the vehicle speed, or road information within a predetermined angular or distance range in the direction of travel. Information relating to roads includes information indicating a one-way road, information indicating a road into which entry is prohibited, and information indicating a pedestrian crossing and a railroad crossing. These items of information are displayed by using marks, and the landmark information is displayed by using landmarks, thereby displaying information necessary for travel in a readily perceivable manner according to the travel conditions. When the vehicle enters a parking lot in the middle of the guidance for a route to a destination, the system searches for a route from the parking lot to the destination and outputs the found route by using a structure-shape map. The parking lot in this case is one within a predetermined walking distance from the destination. If the parking lot is in close proximity of the destination, further guidance is not necessary and the guidance is terminated.

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6-25909	April 1994	JPX	

ART-UNIT: 364

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ABSTRACT:

A route searching system for a vehicle navigation system for navigating on a road network, for use when the road network database is organized in terms of road segments and the destination is a road intersection. The destination road segment for a particular guided route is selected so that the destination road segment is accessible from the destination intersection. This is of benefit when the destination road segment is one permitting only one way travel, and thereby avoids selecting as the destination road segment a one way road permitting travel only into the destination intersection. This allows selection of an optimum route without dictating that the route pass through a one way segment leading only into the destination intersection. Another improvement is destination road segment filtering, whereby if a destination road segment is chosen such that travel on it is zero distance, then that destination road segment is deleted from the guided route, and instead the end of the previous road segment on the guided route is indicated as being the destination. This eliminates unnecessary instructions being given to the driver when he arrives at the destination intersection.

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